

LADIES

Call and inspect our New
Spring and Summer Coats
The Styles and patterns are fifty this season
and prices reasonable.

For the Boys—

Just added new line of Boy's Clothing. Smart styles
at low prices.

Just received shipment of **Misses Tan Sandals at \$1.75**
Child's Tan Sandals \$1.50 pair **Infants Tan Sandals**
\$1.25 pair Full stock of Ladies and men's Canvas Shoes
for hot weather. A call will convince you. We are
bound to please with price and quality.

P. W. HART

E. C. STATA, Manager.

Local Items

On and after May 1st, the
Peterson Motor Company
Ltd. have placed their gasoline
and repair business on a cash
basis.

A Youngstown District Meet-
ing of the Methodist Church
will be held at Oyen on Tues-
day, May 22nd, at 9 a.m. Busi-
ness relative to conference will
be transacted.

Holland Canada Mortgage Co.
Money to lend on improved
farms at the rate of eight per
cent. Mr. E. C. McClean, Bar-
rister, is agent for the Oyen dis-
trict.

Thos. Lees has received a
very interesting letter from his
brother, Pte. Jas. Lees. In this
letter he informs his brother
he was engaged in the Vimy
Ridge battle and was fortunate
in coming out without a scratch.
He also enclosed a souvenir
which he got during this en-
gagement.

For careful and up-to-date
dental work see Dr. Taylor, the
Dentist, Alaska.

Mr. M. J. McKay of Helms-
dale returned last Saturday
from Lucknow, Ont. where he
has been attending the funeral
of his son, George, who suc-
cumbed with an attack of
quinsy after being sick a month.
Previous to his illness he was
engaged in an automobile fac-
tory in Detroit, and as he was
only twenty-two years of age
the news of his death came as
a severe blow.

The Oyen Curling Club Hall
which was to have taken place
on the 24th of May will be post-
poned till Monday the 4th day
of June. Great preparations
are being made for this event
and it is anticipated that this
hall will be the largest and best
ever held in Oyen.

Wm. Marsden, who has been
taking up a veterinary course
in the University at Toronto,
returned last Thursday to spend
his vacation here.

H. G. Logan spent a few days
in Saskatoon last week on busi-
ness.

E. McArthur was in Calgary
last week making the purchase
of fixtures for an Ice Cream
Parlor.

S. B. Lawrence sold Mr. Eng-
land a C.O.D. tractor last week.

E. Arneson, who has been
employed in S. A. Miller & Co.'s
store, left last week for Calgary.

Miss Irene Lusher of Huma
has accepted the position as
teacher at the Lawndale school.

Jas. Gilhooly has opened up a
blacksmith business on Kinder-
corner, section 21-28-4, 7 miles
south of Oyen. Mr. Gilhooly
has a fully equipped shop and
will be in a position to do all
kinds of blacksmith work.

Quite a large number from
Oyen attended the Liberal con-
vention held at Cereal last Fri-
day. Also several automobile
loads of people from Alaska
were present at the convention.

Word has been received by
Ed. Horne that his son, Private
Floyd Horne has been wounded
in the recent heavy fighting.

The local business houses will
be closed on Thursday, May 24.
Mrs. Don Shum had the mis-
fortune of being thrown from a
horse last Sunday evening, sus-
taining a broken collar bone.

Liberal Convention

J. A. McCall Receives Nomination

On Friday last the Liberal
Convention was held in Cereal,
when quite a large gathering
was present. The meeting was
called to order by the chairman,
Mr. Hugh Rose of Sibbald, and
J. J. Mullaney acted as Secre-
tary for the meeting. The fol-
lowing officers were elected:
President, Lieut.-Col. Naysmith
Vice-Pres., Mr. Peers, Acadia
Valley; Secretary, Neil Ross,
Cereal. Executive committee—
Thos. Lees, Oyen; Sheriff Davis
of Coltholme; Mr. Stauffer of
Alaska.

After the election of officers,
nominations were called for a
candidate to uphold the Liberal
cause at the next Provincial
election for the Acadia consti-
tuency. From the feeling of the
meeting it was evident that
there was only one man who
could fill the position to the
satisfaction of the delegates
and he was the present mem-
ber, J. A. McCall, who was
unanimously elected as candi-
date. The nomination was given
by Dr. Oliver Boyd of Medicine
Hat, also the Hon. Charles W.
Mitchell, Provincial Treasurer,
gave a splendid talk in which
he outlined the general work
done by present provincial gov-
ernment during the last four
years.

Prairie Fires

A very bad prairie fire started
about twenty-four miles south
east of Oyen last Friday which
swept over a vast area of coun-
try, and it is reported that it
burned up about one hundred
miles of prairie also several
farm buildings. Mr. F. Breeze
of Acadia district lost his farm
buildings, but was fortunate in
managing to blow a fire break
around his house so preventing
the fire from destroying his home.

Another serious prairie fire
which swept over the country
along Sounding Creek last week
did considerable damage and
burnt up the buildings of Mr.
B. Williams of the Seal district.

Another Progressive Business Man

P. W. Hart, one of our prom-
inent merchants, has informed
us that he intends to enlarge
his store by putting an addition
onto the present building. Mr.
Hart has purchased the prop-
erty in which he runs his business
and which formerly belonged
to the Canadian Credit Mens
Association. Mr. Hart has been
in business in Oyen for over
two years and during that time
has worked up a splendid busi-
ness. It has always been his
aim to give his customers good
value at a reasonable price and
through this method has earned
a reputation which necessitates
enlarging his present building,
and in order to cope with the
increase of business he will be
compelled to build another
addition twenty-four feet by
thirty feet. This new addition
will give him more room to dis-
play his goods and thereby en-
able his customers to see what
a full line of goods he carries.



WHEN YOU USE OUR PURE, FRESH, WHOLE-
SOME GROCERIES FOR JUST ONE MONTH,
YOU WILL NEVER GO TO ANY OTHER STORE
FOR THINGS TO EAT.

YOU EAT TO LIVE, SO BUY OUR HEALTH-
FUL GROCERIES. IT DOES NOT PAY TO BUY
"CHEAP" GROCERIES. WE KEEP THE QUAL-
ITY UP ON OUR GROCERIES, BUT WE KEEP
THE PRICE DOWN.

S. A. Miller & Co.

The Oyen News - The Home Paper

"Punctuality the Soul of Business"
Big Bell Alarm Clocks

Call and see our full stock of Alarm
clocks. The best on the market is the noted
"Big Ben" Alarm Clock and we have them in
all sizes at the same price as the City stores.

We also have a full line of watches, fobs,
chains and a splendid assortment of ladies
jewelry.

J. W. Crockett - Jeweler & Optician

Farm Lands For Sale

Improved and unimproved Farm lands
for Sale at snap prices.

Prospective buyers will find it to their interest
to look over our list before purchasing elsewhere.
No trouble to show you over our holdings.

Money to Loan on Farm Lands

If you have a farm to sell list with us for quick sale.

J. HOWARD ALEXANDER,

Business Broker & Notary Public,
Main Street, Oyen, Alta.

MEN'S WORK BOOTS

Let us fit your feet with these comfort fitting Elk and
Lamb skin Boots.

We carry only guaranteed makes in light and heavy
weights; Good Year welt and Standard Suede soles. In
brown, tan and black at \$5.00 to \$6.50.

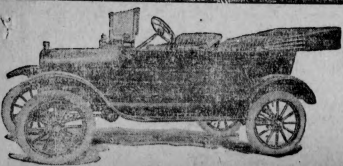
Men's Fine Shoes Made of selected leathers with solid
leather or Neolin soles. New painted or wide last, also
cushion soles. Your choice in tan, mahogany, dull black
or patent leather. Our guarantee goes with every pair.
Prices from \$6.50 up.

We carry a full range of Children's Shoes
and Clothing g.

C. P. Johnston

Clothier

Art. Fry, Manager



We carry full line of tires and other ac-
cessories, and a complete stock of Ford parts
at Oyen and \$50.00 add.

Cars are now difficult to get and to in-
sure delivery this summer we should like to
have your order by June 1st.

Touring \$550 Runabout \$530
F. O. B. OYEN

Peterson Motor Company Ltd.

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ALBERTA

The Oyen News Job Department Imprint.

Assures you that your printing job is correct in
every detail.

Oyen Hardware Company Ltd.

Hot Weather Necessities—

Screen Doors at \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, and \$1.35. All sizes in stock.
Extension Window Screens 40c each. Screen door chain 25c.
Fly screens 15c each. Screen wire cloth all widths in stock.
Portland Blue Flame Oil Stoves, 2 burner size \$12.50, 3 burner
size \$15.00, 4 burner size \$17.50. Perfection Junior burner
Blue Flame \$8.50. Clark's Jewel Blue Flame Stoves, two
burner size \$15.00, 3 burner \$17.50. Perfection
2 burner Ovens \$4.00 each.

Family Safety Coal Oil 15c gallon, Gasoline 16c cts. Special
prices in quantities. Machine Oil 90 cents gallon. Polartine
75c gallon. French Auto Oil 90 cts gallon.

Cleveland Bicycles \$45.00

Martha-Schour Barn Paint. House and Floor Paint.
Alabastine, Wall Paper, Furniture

QUALITY SERVICE COURTESY

Oyen Hardware Co., Ltd.

John Patterson, Managing Director.

Doctor Tells How to Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent. in One Week's Time in Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled at Once and Use at Home

LONDON, Dec. 28.—(The Standard.)—Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye trouble? If so, you can have your eyesight strengthened 50 per cent. in one week's time. Many who have tried this method have had their eyes restored through the treatment of this wonderful medicine. It is a simple matter to get your eyesight strengthened. All you have to do is get a bottle of this medicine. It is a simple matter to get your eyesight strengthened. All you have to do is get a bottle of this medicine. It is a simple matter to get your eyesight strengthened. All you have to do is get a bottle of this medicine.

Colorless faces often show the absence of iron in the blood.

Carter's Iron Pills will help this condition.

W. N. U. 1155

Several Thousand Foresters Wanted

Ottawa Calls for Drafts to Let Men Return to Other Units

The military department is calling for several thousand more recruits for the Canadian Forestry Battalions overseas. There are now ten thousand men in the Forestry Battalions in England and France, under the command of Major-General A. G. McDougall. Some five thousand of these were supplied by Canada, and the balance was drawn from overseas troops originally enlisted in other regiments. As a result of the return to their original units forestry drafts are wanted from Canada. The age limit for forestry recruits is 48 years, and men of 41, 11 inches in height are accepted. Recruiting depots have been opened in all the lumbering centers of Canada.

Forgetfulness is the noblest remedy for injuries.

YES! LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN

Cincinnati man tells how to

It lifts off with fingers

You corn-pestered men and women

shoes that nearly killed you before,

this Cincinnati article, which

applied directly on a tender, aching

corn, caused the corn to disappear

and the corn or hardened callus

loosened so it could be lifted off

with your fingers.

A small bottle of frezzone

costs only a few cents, and

will positively take off every hard or

soft corn or callus in a few days.

It is inexpensive and it is said

not to irritate the surrounding skin.

If you cannot leave your feet

alone tell him to get a small bottle

of Frezzone and lift off the corn

house. It is simple and acts like a

charm every time.

Mrs. Gramercy—Why don't you

tell me how to lift off a corn

Mr. Park—It isn't necessary, my

dear. We're on the same party wire.

Many mothers have reason to bless

Meeker Graves' Worm Expeller

because it has relieved the little ones

of suffering and made them healthy.

English as She Is Spoke

Knickers—Punny thing about food.

Butter—It's a delicacy, and it's

longing always exists at the same

time as the butter.

Wretched from Asthma. Strength

of body and vigor of mind are

impaired by the visitations

of the cold, the cough, the

cloud of recurring attacks and

the loss of sleep and energy.

Dr. J. D. Kellough's Asthma

Expeller cures the disease by

disintegrating the mucus

in the lungs and making the

body rich and mental happiness.

Using Grass to Make Paper With

Although several of the largest

paper mills in England have

been started to use grass, the

government stopped the importation

of grass from the United States

because of the danger of

bringing in the grass mites

which are the cause of the

grass mite disease.

Printing paper and newspaper

are made from grass mixed

with other materials. The cheapest

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Germany's Influence

Germany Blamed for Disrupting Peaceful Ideas of the U.S.

When all is said and done, the

greatest injury which we have

sustained from Germany is the

one which is not mentioned in the

of our grievances. Our commerce has

been attacked; American lives have

been sacrificed to the German

government's disregard of international

law. These are the grievances which

have been specified. But greater than

these and more vitally affecting the

nation is the fact that the great

peace nation of the world to a purely

military and aggressive, a com-

petitive system which may never be

dispensed with.

If the militarists are right, then

we ought to thank Germany for so

transforming our life. That is to say,

if during all these years we have

been playing the part of the fool by

encouraging militarism and refusing

to support large standing armies, then

we ought to thank Germany for

shocking us out of our folly and for

helping us to do the thing we ought long

ago to have done.

But if our idealists are right, if

we were justified in offering the

people of Germany the same

mission maintaining peace by the

justice of its actions, then we can only

be thankful to the bringing of this

to her own level.—From the Detroit

News.

Private—Do you know anything

about Field drilling? Oh yes, I

used to have a job in an artesian well

company.

People make much of little troubles

if they have never had any great

ones.

WOMAN SUFFER.

It's War Time Affect.

London, Eng. The women of England

are doing their duty. They are taking

care of the wounded, or if they cannot

do this they are doing other things

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Let Us Hope This Baby Won't Have The Poison

100 children were reported pos-

soned in the last three years by

breast milk destroyers. And this

Roads

The News would be glad to give advice to the Councils of the Municipalities bordering on the town, regarding their road programmes for the coming year, as it is the belief of the News that there is no other question of such outstanding importance confronting the community today.

The toll that bad roads levy on every load that is brought to Oyen and every load that goes from Oyen would amount to a large sum every year. There has been some excuse for this condition in the past as the country was not in such shape as to allow for the collection of taxes, but there is now no reason why taxes should not be collected and an extensive road programme carried out.

Owners of automobiles have in other places proved themselves staunch advocates of good roads, and there are some a number now owned here that the weight of opinion of these owners is already felt, and will be felt more as the ubiquitous Ford increases in numbers, but while this consideration will not be lost sight of it must be remembered that the wheat in wagon loads is as yet the most potent argument for the improvement of road conditions.

Anything and Everything

The Good Old Days

Sir:—Doing my bit in the garden yesterday, my Irish gardener said, "did Arthur Balfour come to Chicago with General Gifford?" The wheat in the field I would like to see him again and shake his hand.

"Did you know him?" I asked. "Sure, and didn't I help rotten egg him in Manchester twenty-six years ago last May Day."

The laundress made the excuse for being late with the ironing, saying, "my fire went out on me."

"Many of the lines will be accompanied by plaintiff music." —Lake County Tribune. Verdict for the defendant.

The gardener made this apology for not having any cucumbers. "All my cucumbers froze on me."

Brothered there a man with a soul so dead Who never to himself hath said While toiling in his garden patch, 'Tid beat h— how chickens scratch."

The grocer came next and said, "I had two dozen eggs break on me."

Sprattistic Jack Sprat cut out the fat His wife cut out the lean And so they did their bit to skid The Prussian war machine.

And last of all his mother came in greatly excited, and said, "My cake fell on me."

Sir:—Why has no one thought of cane as a patriotic crop? It ought to be raised to some effect with the Germans.

Mr. Lloyd Nichols of Norfolk, Neb., returned home yesterday after a ten days visit here with his wife's mother, Mrs. Downing, from the Celestine, Ia., Register.

This item torpedoes one of the oldest jokes in Christendom.

R. M. Golden Center

The fifth meeting of the above council was held at L. Michael's on May 2nd.

Members all present, except Danielson. Minutes read and adopted. Correspondence read and disposed of.

The secretary was instructed to secure 12 copies of the Hall Insurance Act.

It was decided to bond pound-keepers for \$1200 each. Hall insurance taxes on abandoned land were struck off to the amount of \$894.20.

Following accounts were ordered paid:

R. Greene, expenses	
Baker case \$	38.00
Western Mun. News	15.00
W. Foote, com. reg.	5.00
Hail Board 17 levy	500.00
H. Earing commis.	100.00
John Dahl	15.00
Geo. Hallett, one acre	20.00
John Dahl, two acres	40.00

By-law was read twice, to restrain and regulate the running at large of animals. Ellis was instructed to inspect pound at T. White's.

A grant of \$500 was made to the Patriotic Fund and to cover same increased levy from 5½ to 6 mills on the dollar, the secretary to post notices in post offices, stating reason of increase.

Wilson and Logan were delegated to inspect grader and if satisfactory and in good condition to purchase.

Secretary was instructed to enquire of Dep't if it were possible to divide cemetery.

Wilson was empowered to furnish culverts for Robinson and McIntyre to an amount equal to 50 per cent of their R. M. taxes, and O. Halverson and Iverson Bros. to make a special road to the extent of 50 per cent of their R. M. taxes. Each councillor was empowered to make necessary repairs in his ward.

Secretary was instructed to request J. A. McColl, M. L. A. and Dep't of Public Works for bridge NW 30-30-5.

J. J. Baker was requested to attend next meeting of Council. Geo. Campbell was advised that Councilor Wilson will see J. A. McColl, M. L. A., personally and take up matter of grant made in 1916.

Meeting adjourned to June 6, Ralph Greene, Sec. Treas.

Burn—to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cattan, of Oyen, on May 14th, a daughter.

Dr. Laekner, dentist, wishes to inform the public that his Oyen office will be open the first four or five days of each month also the last week of the month.

Some Excel Items

And behold we woke up in the morning and found a city of tents. The construction crew of the National Elevator are here. Still so.

Earl Barron and family from Dayton, Ohio, arrived last Saturday and is visiting at the residence of Louis Barron.

A meeting to form a tennis club was held at C. R. Bishop's Monday last. Arrangements have been made for the construction of two double courts. Membership cards will be issued soon.

The C. N. R. Townsite Properties' representative was in town last week and appointed J. Abbott as their agent.

Ten will be swept at the home of Mrs. Wm. McAllister, N. N. 9-5-5 on the 24th of May from 3 to 6 p. m. Proceeds in aid of the Red Cross. All interested in this work are cordially invited.

News has been received that Pte. N. Leitch has been wounded in the recent heavy fighting. Pte. Leitch enlisted in the 80th Battalion and had been in the trenches about six months prior to his disablement.

The Gray-Dart car is proving popular and the local agent, J. W. Robinson has sold cars to Elmer McArthur and P. Kidd.

Mrs. R. M. Kennedy, Stanley Gray and Mr. Cuswill have purchased Chevrolet cars from Spaulding & Marshall.

Many of the local stores were closed on Arbor Day.

The P. H. Peterson residence is nearing completion.

After causing the death of her four-year-old brother by cruel treatment during fits of morbid jealousy, Evelyn Ruth Hanson, aged seven, daughter of Oswald Hanson, a farmer living eight miles northeast of Lovrina, Sask., has become insane and will be handed over to the authorities.

A. H. Spear of Alaska is in town on business.

J. B. Lowe, who has a farm near Sunnydale, returned from Rosetown this morning.

C. Brown motored to Sask last Monday.

E. C. Stata was in Calgary over Sunday visiting his mother previous to her departure for Detroit.

A Stampede will take place at Medicine Hat on July 10-11-12 and 13th.

M. J. McKay, of Helmsdale, sold a carload of wheat for the neat sum of \$3,125.00.

Another Fire Scare in Oyen

On Saturday afternoon about three o'clock, fire broke out underneath the C. N. R. loading platform which completely destroyed the platform and a car containing four Ford cars.

At the time the fire broke out there was a very strong wind and although the fire engine was on the scene very soon after the alarm was given the flames had such a hold that it was impossible to save anything. Luckily the wind was blowing from the south-east, had it been coming from the south-west there would have been a great danger of the Acadia elevator catching fire.

It appears that there was a lot of straw lying around the platform and it is supposed that the engine which was in the siding at the time had dropped sparks in this straw thereby setting fire to the platform.

OYEN METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday	
Preaching Service	7.30 p.m.
Sunday School	2.30 p. m.
Prays	11 a.m.
Benton School	3.00 p.m.
Rev. S. D. Webster, Pastor	

EXCLUSIVE FEATURES

There are more exclusive features, more careful improvements that really appeal to the musician and owner in the

HEINTZMAN & CO.

Art Piano

have been ever before exhibited in this province. Owing to these features that

Permanency of Tone

so much desired is secured. The reasons for this can easily be demonstrated and any Heintzman Piano in use for years is an actual demonstration.

Write for Our Catalogue

ROBERT SMITH,

—AGENT—

Oyen - - - Alberta

Ten Reasons Why You Should Buy a Challenge Windmill

1. It has an internal gear, twice as many cogs in mesh as with an external gear.
2. The gear is entirely covered, effectively excluding ice and snow.
3. All bearings are detachable and reversible, and can be renewed without taking the mill from the tower.
4. It has an adjustable band brake, the most effective brake ever placed on a windmill.
5. It will run in a lighter wind and endure harder storms.
6. It is made of the best material by skilled workmen.
7. It has a multiplying lever spring governor, which is absolutely reliable and will take care of the mill in the heaviest winds.
8. It has counter one-piece crank shaft driven in its own unique way.
9. The load of the pump is between bearings, which does away with all over-hanging shafts.
10. It costs no more than inferior mills. For Sale By

JOHN OSZUST
Oyen, Alberta

BANK OF HAMILTON
Established 1872

Capital Authorized, \$5,000,000
Capital Paid-up \$3,000,000
Surplus \$3,500,000

Ambition

That one idle dollar on hand for which you have no particular need, will start a savings account in the Bank of Hamilton.

Your ambition to get ahead financially will grow as your savings accumulate. Capital is the key that opens the door of success.

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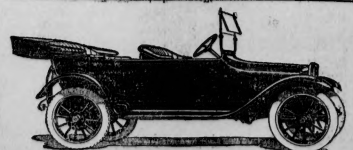
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Will be held in the

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E. M. CONNER of Excel,
Guarantees to throw within one hour
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Admission \$1.00

A number of seats will be reserved for ladies.



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Rev. W. F. Howlen.

Interesting Debate at Hill School

The debate on Woman suffrage in Hill school last Wednesday was a great success. The building was packed, people coming for miles to hear the matter discussed. Miss MacPhail the "School marm" from Green Mound, ably sustained the proposition, evidenced by the unanimous vote in her favor. As for the other fellow—the preacher—well he done all that could be done, which only demonstrates the fact that woman suffrage is here to stay, and best of all the public are converted to it.

To The Acadia Electors

To the Electors of the
Constituency of Acadia.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

At the recent convention of the Liberal - Conservative Association held at Cereal, I received the honor of being nominated as a candidate to contest the riding at the next Provincial election.

I ask for your confidence, vote and influence, staunchly believing as I do, that the time has arrived for a change of Government in the interests of the electors of the constituency and the Province as a whole.

In these columns, from now until the coming election, I will endeavor to outline a few of the many questions that are of vital interest to the electors of Acadia particularly, and ask for your consideration of the problems as they appear from time to time.

Yours for their interests,
Advt.] E. GORDON JONAH

My Position as Regards Roads

A constructive policy for a permanent road system under competent engineers, and free from political influence. All moneys expended by the Government on the roads to be placed in the hands of the Municipalities to be spent on trunk roads leading to the farmers' markets. Engineers to be at the disposal of the Municipalities.

All moneys paid for automobile licenses to be diverted back to the Constituency from which it is received, with the exception of the cost of license plates and administration fees, which money to be used for the maintenance of roads.
Advt.] E. GORDON JONAH

Public Place Notice

A meeting will be held in the Lawn-
dale School house, May 26th, at 2 p.m.
for the purpose of organizing a local U. P. A. All farmers in the adjacent district will please remember the date and time and attend, this important meeting. By order of the committee—
—Alfred Cooper, chairman, G. M. Olson, secretary.



when you look sadly over your fields of ruined grain, it will be too late to think of what a comfort a

Hail Insurance Policy

In the Hartford Fire Insurance Co. would have been. The time to think about such things is right now before the storm comes. Hartford Hail Insurance costs little and will add much to your peace of mind. May we talk to you about it?

ROY CLEMENS,

Agent for OYEN and District.

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Just Arrived a Car Load of
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Weighing from 1250 to 1650 lbs.

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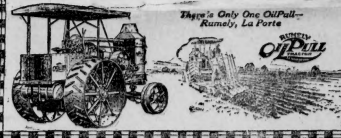
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A more dependable tractor than the OilPull can't be bought and you will find it able to take care of all your power jobs, whether draw-bar or belt. Two sizes, 15-30 and 30-60 horsepower.

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Fresh, Salted and Smoked Meats
Best prices paid for Hides

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Valve-in-head motor. Electric lighting and starting system. Selective sliding gear transmission, 3 speeds forward and reverse. Staunch frame. New front and rear spring brackets. New front spring suspensions. New accelerator foot rest. Oil indicator light equipment. Ample road clearance. Cantilever Springs. Improved Upholstery Mohair top. Non-skid tires on rear wheels.

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NOTICE

We have just unloaded two more carloads of stock in the last week and we are now in a position to give you a full line of Hardware.

We have a few ranges that we will sell at the old prices. As ranges have gone up in price nearly one third, this is your opportunity.

A good 6 hole Malleable Range at \$55.00
Regina Range, 6 hole, copper reservoir, \$45
Nelson, 4 hole range, special \$17
Settler, 9 holes, duplex grates, Special \$10.00

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Agricultural and Stock Exhibition, Race Meet,
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All in One Stupendous Celebration—100 Hours
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Cheap Rates on all Railway Lines during the week
For further information, write
GEO. W. McCLAFFERTY, Secretary

Curling Club Dance

The dance which was to have been given by the Curling Club on the 24th has been postponed till Monday, June 24th, under an arrangement with the Alaskan Red Cross Society who guarantee an attendance of twenty-five from Alaska, on the understanding that at least twenty-five people go from here to their celebration on the evening of the 24th. The ladies of the Alaskan Red Cross are making great preparations to handle a large crowd from outside points as they wish to close their season in a blaze of glory. Their entertainment is to be an old fashioned, children's party with a confetti battle, tableaux, musical numbers and dancing.

Child Run Over by Automobile

Grace Patterson, the 4 year old daughter of Mr. J. Patterson of Oyen was accidentally run over on Sunday evening by an automobile driven by Miss Myrtle McDonald while driving her mother to Church for the evening service. It is supposed that the child ran across the road, evidently not noticing the approaching car and the youthful driver was unable to stop the car in time to avoid the accident but fortunately the child dropped between the wheels and was uninjured.

Though it appears this accident may have happened with any driver yet a good many people think it would be safer if the letter of the law were adhered to and that children be restrained from driving a car until they reach the age of sixteen.

Benton News

R. A. Cornell had the misfortune to lose his barn, chicken house and other small buildings by fire last Thursday.

Mrs. J. E. Hockmiller received word last week that her son had been wounded at the front.

Mrs. D. H. Warren expects her husband to return from the front soon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Findley are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Shaw. Mrs. Findley will leave soon to visit her sister at Fleet, Alberta.

Hebrand Brothers have purchased the Stanley Gray residence.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

STRAYED—From 18-25, west of 4th, bay colt three years old. Two white hind feet and one white front foot. White stripe on face. Well eyed, weight about 1000 lbs. Liberal reward for information leading to recovery. A. G. Holmes, Alaskan, Sask.

STRAYED—from the pasture north of town, two gray ponies, mare and gelding, 7 and 8 years, weighing between 900 and 1000 lbs. Held, Chisholm, Oyen, Alta.

LOST—on April 12th from 21-24-1, one mare pony white, branded RWV also one mare pony branded triangle over half are RW, Reward, E. G. Tossler, Oyen.

STRAYED—on Sec 27-28-5 a gray horse branded W on right thigh. Owner may have same by paying for this advertisement and proving property. H. H. Hore, Ekel.

SIX REWARD—for information leading to the recovery of one dark bay gelding, six years old, weight 1200 two white hind feet, white face, branded a coupled VK right hip, R. W. Wright, box 238, E. 25-26, Chisholm, Alta.

STRAYED—on to 12-24-1 on Friday last a red one with white spots on back. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Simon Oyen.

STRAYED—on the 18 Ranch one bay gelding, 6 years old has a halter on. Branded N left shoulder and Z on left thigh. 2 Bays branded J on left shoulder.

IS Alex McKenlie.

FOUND—a sum of money on Main St. Oyen. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Oyen News.

STRAYED—from N1 27-24-1, one red cow, horse turned down toward eyes. Buckskin cow, one born turned in and the other up. Both are branded either 00 or JJ on left side. Reward for information leading to recovery of same. Matt Klasse, Faircares, Alberta.

LOST—A crank, belonging to an Overland car, between W. Morrell's section 17-24-1 and Oyen. Finder please return to the Oyen News Office.

LOST—One Bay or brown gelding, about 1150, branded CPA on left side. \$10.00 reward for information leading to recovery.

O. W. Anderson, 25-26-2, Calcuta, Alta.

LOST—A Rainproof Overcoat and a pair of Gloves between Peterson Motor Company garage and C. V. Johnson's house. Finder please return same to the Office of the Oyen News.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—two team mares, young, two are in foal. Apply B. Macgregor, Oyen or N. W. 35-25-4.

SELLING—team 2805 lbs., engine of W. T. Woodward, 18-24-4, Oyen.

FOR SALE—Good driving mare, 9 years old, good buggy used two seasons also a good set of harness. \$250 terms. Apply Sam Fitzpatrick, 10-27-4, Oyen.

FOR SALE—Livery Barn, electric lights installed, everything modern. Rented at \$81.50 per month; lease to expire November 30, 1917. Apply B. W. Moore, Oyen.

FOR SALE—An engine diesel. A. T. Atfield, Faircares.

FOR SALE—several settings of glass eggs. Apply to John Hunt, 16-24-1, Oyen, Alberta.

40 Acres Homestead in Montana, new law just passed. New towns, business opportunities. Send file for map and information. Address, H. S. Commissioner, Outlook, Mont.

FOR SALE—A good saddle and bridle. B. M. Kennedy, Oyen.

Call for Sealed Bids

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until 2 o'clock noon on May 24th, 1917, for the proposed Fire Hall, the same to remain where it is until the completion of new building. Highest of any bid not necessarily accepted.

J. S. THOMSON,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Impounded

On Thursday, May 10th, a red Bull about two years old in the Alaskan Livery Stable, Oyen, Owner may have same by paying the necessary fee.

A. Gibson, Poundkeeper.

BINDER TWINE

In order to secure your Binder Twine it is wise to book your order as soon as possible.

You no doubt are aware of the fact that there is a great scarcity of twine this year and it will be impossible to enlarge our shipment. Already the scarcity is felt in as much as my order has been cut down from 70,000 lbs to one car load of 10,000 lbs. If you are wise you will order at once and save yourself the worry and inconvenience which is bound to come if you delay in ordering.

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C. A. GILDERS,

Agent for the Titan 10-20, 15-30, and 30-50
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Oyen, Alberta

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The Paper That Goes Home

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Carl Swenson,

Office at the Harness Shop Oyen.

Farm Lands For Sale

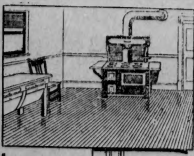
I am in communication with several men who are looking for good farm lands. Anyone desirous of selling their farms cannot do better than to list your land with me.

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B. W. MOORE,

OYEN,

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